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### GETTING MEN IN SHAPE TO SERVE ON THE FRENCH FRONT

**Marines to the Number of 2,600 Will Accompany First Force-- Aero Club of America Will Send Contingent of 194 Men**

[By United Press] WASHINGTON, May 19.—A regiment of 2,600 marines, Colonel Charles A. Doyen commanding, will accompany the American force to France and will include the organizations that recently served in Haiti, Domingo and Cuba. They will accompany the force which has been under General Pershing's command. The war department reports

show that two of the nine engineer regiments for immediate service at the French front were raised in the Pittsburgh district and there were more applications than could be accepted. The Aero Club of America has announced its first reserve aero squadron of 194 men is ready and will leave for France in a few weeks. They will fly French machines under the American flag.

### Auto Bandits Make Away With \$7,000

CHICAGO, May 19.—Five automobile bandits today shot three men and beat another at the Metropolitan ele-

vated exit. They escaped with \$7,000, the pay roll of the Stein Garter company.

### Kingdom or Republic? Poland Now Waits to See Which Way Cat Jumps

[By Lowell Mellett, United Press staff correspondent.]

LONDON, April 27, by mail.—The ancient kingdom of Poland just now presents the attentive attitude of the mouse that waits to see which way the cat will jump.

It might be possible to express the situation in a more pleasant way, but the expression is that of Dr. Leon Litwinski, spokesman for the Poles in London. Poland, first caught in the mangle of the Russian advance and German retreat and then in the mangle of the German advance and Russian retreat, probably has suffered as greatly as any country of Europe, not including Belgium or Serbia. A million and a half of her sons have been enrolled as belligerents, 900,000 in the Russian armies and 600,000 in the German and Austrian armies.

But Poland's position in present Welpolitik is that of desperate neutrality. Both Germany and Russia have promised her much. Poland wants to cash one of those promises. Of the two, Russia offers the more—a complete independence. But there is this drawback, Dr. Litwinski explained. Russia is promising independence to territory occupied by German troops.

And there is more or less of a string attached to Germany's proposal, which is a completely reunited Poland with its own local government, under the wing of the German empire, somewhat like the position of Bavaria. The string is the unrelenting emphasis on the suggestion that Poland raise an army of her own against Russia.

"A reunited Poland would be a great betterment of our before-the-war situation," said Dr. Litwinski, "but what we want, of course, is both a reunited and an independent country. We have been immensely encouraged by the proclamation of the new Russian government, though previous Russian assurances, naturally, did not impress us very much."

"Do you consider that President Wilson's mention of Poland in his discus-

sion of possible peace terms has had effect?"

"Oh, colossal!" exclaimed Dr. Litwinski.

"Colossal!" echoed Dr. George de Szeitchowski. "Colossal, Colossal!" repeated the other Poles in the room.

"It was this way," said Dr. Szeitchowski. "There's been a lot of generalizing about small nations and there's been some mention of Belgium and Serbia, but beyond that nobody has ever gone. The case of Poland has been handled very gingerly. There has been the fear, perhaps, that it might be necessary to do a lot of compromising when it came to settle Poland's case. President Wilson left no room for doubt, so far as he was concerned; he declared it should be a reunited, autonomous, independent Poland. Now we know where we've got one real friend."

"Suppose it becomes an independent Poland, will it be a republic or a monarchy?"

"That is now uncertain. Hitherto the Poles have had in mind a new kingdom of Poland. But monarchies seem to be going out."

"If our independence comes through Russia, where the democratic ideal has taken a real hold, undoubtedly the disposition would be to make Poland a republic. If through Germany, a limited monarchy would seem most likely—unless there is a decided change in Germany in the meantime."

### "The Lash," Marie Doro, Tonight's Grand Production

Centuries ago the isolated little island of St. Paptiste was colonized by a few voyagers from Brittany and while the rest of the world progresses, their descendants have retained all the customs and religious bigotry of the original colonists, and it is on this quaint little island that Maria Doro, the beautiful Lasky star, appears for the first few scenes of "The Lash," a thrilling drama

### TEDDY WAS ALL READY

[By United Press] NEW YORK, May 19.—Colonel Roosevelt today declared that if President Wilson had accepted his division he would have been ready to sail for France next Monday. "As a good American, however, I shall continue the work for recruiting and the success of the Liberty Loan," Roosevelt announced.

### NEW RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT TO REVISE ALL OLD TREATIES

**Will Endorse Present War Aims, But Against Conquest--Italians Announce Capture of Key to Monte Santa Defenses**

[By United Press] PETROGRAD, May 19.—The new coalition government has announced it will insist on a revision of all existing treaties, giving the new treaties fullest publicity. It will ask the aid of President Wilson. A revision of peace terms will probably be made, which will endorse the present war aim if "no forcible annexations or contributions" are demanded.

**Hoover Acceptable**  
LONDON, May 19.—Lord Davenport,

the British food controller, today declared the English cabinet approved making Herbert Hoover international food dictator.

#### Further Italian Gains

[By United Press] ROME, May 19.—Fighting "from rock to rock" over the roughest country, the Italians captured Hill No. 652, the "key to the enemy defenses north of Monte Santa," the Italian official statement states.

### LATEST BULLETINS

[By United Press] WASHINGTON, May 19.—The state department has announced that Nicaragua has broken relations with Germany.

**Belva Lockwood Dead**  
[By United Press] WASHINGTON, May 19.—Belva Lockwood, the noted publicist and pioneer suffragist and the first woman lawyer in America, is dead at the age of 86. She was the only woman who has ever been a candidate for president of the United States.

**Negro Training Camp at Des Moines**  
[By United Press] WASHINGTON, May 19.—The war department today announced that the negro officers' training camp, for 1,200 men, including 200 from the regular army, would be established at Des Moines, Iowa.

**Pass Largest War Budget in History**  
[By United Press] WASHINGTON, May 19.—The senate this afternoon passed the \$3,640,000,000 war budget, the biggest in history.

**No Liquor Ads After July 1st**  
SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—Superintendent of Railway Mail Roberts today notified postmasters in his division written especially for her. She afterwards blossoms out into a young society favorite. Having scored such a success in "Common Ground," Miss Doro has an opportunity to show her wonderful versatility in this gripping drama which will be the Paramount attraction at the Grand theater tonight.

**NOTE**—The gowns worn by Miss Doro in this production are the last word in French fashions.

A production that proves the motion picture is an art.

Also Burton Holmes' Travels—"The Real Streets of Cairo."

Coming—Gladstone Sisters and the great Fessia.

that the law will become effective July 1st prohibiting the sending of papers containing liquor advertisements into dry states.

#### Pleads Not Guilty

[By United Press] SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—J. J. Scott, suspended collector of internal revenue, and A. C. Scott, suspended deputy, today pleaded not guilty of the charge of embezzling \$2,500 of government funds.

#### Taking Munitions Across the Border

[By United Press] EL PASO, May 19.—George Holmes, an American and Juan Anders Almanzan, Villa's private secretary, and fourteen Villistas were arrested today by members of the Sixteenth cavalry. It is alleged they were taking automobiles laden with munitions from American territory into Mexico.

#### Initiate Two Members

The Sigma Pi Alpha, the local high school fraternity, initiated two new members, Louis Hawkins and Julian Glock, into the mysteries of its fold at a meeting held yesterday afternoon. The other members of the fraternity are Marion McCleary, Arnold Millard, August Berning, Ralph Twaddle, Leonard Sullivan, Ralph Cowing, August Metcher, Orel Peters, Dwight Edwards, Charles Ruf and Earl Wise.

#### Neighboring Lodges Pay Visit

Several auto loads of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs from Reno, Dayton and Franktown arrived in Carson last evening and paid a fraternal visit to the local lodges of the order, and conferred the Rebekah degree on an initiate. Following the ritual and other lodge business all sat down to a sumptuous lunch, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

T. L. Hawkins of the Appeal was a departure for Reno last evening on a brief business errand.

### BILL TO INCREASE THE NAVY PASSES AND GOES TO WILSON

**Places Maximum at 150,000 and Limits Marine Corps to 30,000-- Bill Introduced to Prevent Strikes and Lockouts**

[By United Press] WASHINGTON, May 19.—The house today approved the conference report on the bill increasing the navy to 150,000 and the marine corps to 30,000 and increasing the basic pay to \$30 per month. The senate followed the house in adopting the conference report and the bill was sent to the president for signature. The senate approved the drastic shipping section of the war budget authorizing the president to spend \$500,000,000 in buying and building vessels, empowering him to make contracts, fix prices and commandeer plants. The labor department has presented a bill providing for a Federal Industrial Adjustment commission, giving it wide powers to fix the wages and hours of employees of interstate transportation companies. It is designed to eliminate strikes and lockouts. The bill embodies practically the same provisions as the president suggested at the time of the passage of the Adamson law.

### Flour Again Takes a Shoot Skyward

MINNEAPOLIS, May 19.—It was announced today flour had increased \$1 a barrel, selling at wholesale at \$16.25. July wheat closed at \$2.68 1/2.

### President Signs Conscription Bill; Registration Day Set for June 5

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Rejecting the Roosevelt section of the conscription bill President Wilson last night signed the measure. After announcing that he will not avail himself, for the present at least, of any authorization to organize volunteers. He declared that it would interfere with the purpose of the prompt creation and the early use of an effective army. "It would be agreeable to me to send one of our most distinguished public men, whose gallantry has been proved in many striking ways. Politically, too, it would no doubt make a profound impression, but this is no time or occasion for compliments, for my action is not calculated to contribute to other than the immediate success of the war. The business now in hand is undramatic, practical and of scientific definiteness and precision."

"The troops to be sent to France will be taken from the present regulars. The responsibility rests on me. I could not escape it if I would. I am too much interested in the cause we are fighting for to be interested in anything but its success."

"The power against which we are arrayed has sought to impose his will upon the world by force. It is not an army we must shape and train, but the entire nation."

"The people must draw together and present a close, compact front against the common foe. The whole nation must be a team in which each member should plan the part for which he is best fitted. This is in no sense a conscription of the unwilling; it is rather a selection from a nation which has volunteered en masse."

"June 5th need not be a technical holiday, but really a day of patriotic devotion."

The American force will probably not take field guns at this time, but will depend on the French artillery.

After signing the bill the president issued a proclamation directing registration to take place June 5th.

The proclamation states that any official, swearing to false statements, or anyone trying to evade service by means of false statements, will be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to be sentenced to a year in prison, or tried by court-martial, if subject to the military law.

Department officials announce that the first division of 25,000 men is to be followed as fast as possible by others. It is estimated there will be a total of 10,000,000 men, between the ages of 21 and 31 that will register.

### Campaign Is Opened for Sale Liberty Bonds

[By United Press] NEW YORK, May 19.—A campaign covering all parts of the country was launched today for the sale of Liberty bonds. Five hundred New York bond salesmen met this morning and worked out the program. Throughout the country many concerns are buying bonds and reselling them to employees on easy terms. Secretary McAdoo today opened the campaign in the middle west, speaking at St. Paul and made an appeal for bond purchases.

Miss Mary Bray, a former resident of this city, where she has many friends, arrived from San Francisco this morning and will remain for several weeks, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Mills.